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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
HEALTH POLICY

Wednesday, May 23, 2018 9:00 a.m. Room 519 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Health Policy was called to order by Chairman Vaupel.

Members present: Reps. Vaupel, Tedder, Graves, Garcia, Sheppard, Calley, Farrington, Hauck, Hornberger, Kahle, Noble, Brinks, Garrett, Ellison, Hammoud, and Hertel.

Members absent/excused: Rep. Neeley.

Representative Tedder moved to adopt the minutes of May 16, 2018. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Chairman Vaupel laid the following bills before the committee:

HB 6016 (Canfield)	Health; testing; definition of HIV infection; modify.
HB 6017 (Canfield)	Health; testing; reporting procedures related to partner notification for HIV; update.
HB 6018 (Vaupel)	Health; diseases; provision related to HIV testing procedures; modify.
HB 6019 (Hammoud)	Health; diseases; information related to HIV disclosures; modify.
HB 6020 (Hoadley)	Health; diseases; crime of sexual penetration while HIV infected; modify, and reduce penalties.
HB 6021 (Hoadley)	Criminal procedure; sentencing guidelines; sentencing guidelines for crime of sexual penetration while HIV infected; amend to reflect reduction of penalties.
HB 6022 (Bizon)	Health; diseases; testing of pregnant women; modify the infections for which testing is required and require additional testing during third trimester.
HB 6023 (Hertel)	Health; diseases; requirement for local health departments to maintain encoded case files for HIV test subjects; eliminate, and revise time frame for reporting certain information.

Dr. Eden Wells, Chief Medical Executive with the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services; Dr. Elizabeth Secord, representing Wayne State University and the Children's Hospital of Michigan; and Dr. Betty Chu, representing the Michigan State Medical Society, testified together in support of the bills.

Loretta Bush, representing the Michigan Primary Care Association, testified in support of the bills.

Representative Canfield testified in opposition to HB 6020 and HB 6021. Representative Bizon came forward and testified in support of HB 6022.

Representative Hoadley testified in support of the bills.

Dr. Wells, Dr. Secord, and Dr. Chu returned to the table for questions and discussion.

Representative Hoadley returned to the table for questions and discussion.

The following people submitted a card in support of the bills, but not wishing to speak:

Merissa Kovach, representing the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan.
Levi Berkshire, representing the Community AIDS Resource and Education Services (CARES). and the Michigan HIVAIDS Council, and submitted written testimony.
Kelly Doyle, representing the Community AIDS Resource and Education Services (CARES).
Dr. Matt Allswede, representing the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecologists.
Christine Shearer, representing the Michigan Association of Health Plans.
Tabitha Zimny, representing the Michigan Academy of Family Physicians.

Bree Anderson, representing the Michigan Council for Maternal and Child Health, submitted a card in support of HB 6022, but did not wish to speak.

Matthew Craig, representing the Michigan Coalition for HIV Health and Safety, submitted a card with no position indicated on HB 6020, but not wishing to speak.

Jay Kaplan, representing the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan, submitted written testimony in support of HB 6020.

Peter Gulick, representing the Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine, submitted written testimony clarifying HB 6020.

Annette Mercatante, MD, MPH, Medical Health Officer, representing the St. Clair Health Department, submitted written testimony in support of HB 6017.

Representative Brinks moved to excuse absent members. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business before the committee, Chairman Vaupel adjourned the meeting, the time being 10:02 a.m.

Representative Hank Vaupel, Chair

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